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To the

American Consular Officer in Charge,

Dairen, Liaoning, China.

The Acting Secretary of State refers to the continuing need for intelligence information regarding the Soviet Union. At the request of the Department of the Air Force there is transmitted herewith a copy of a Top Secret requirement covering the information which is desired by the Air Force on certain plants, installations and topographical features along the Trans-Siberian Railway. This requirement is forwarded to the Consulate for study and for use should it become necessary to evacuate the Consulate personnel at Dairen via the Trans-Siberian Railway.

Any information obtained on this requirement should be supplied upon arrival in Moscow to the Air Attache for transmittal to the Department of the Air Force.

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Enclosure:

Copy of Air Force requirement.

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